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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1925

A NUISANCE

"This thing of solicitors traveling around the country selling everything from pins to steam engines is getting to be a nuisance. Nothing tires me more than to have an agent selling typewriter ribbons drop in your office when you are busy as a bee and will not let you talk and proceed to elucidate in glowing terms about his selling the best typewriter ribbons in the world, guaranteed not to slip or ravel, no matter with what speed you may operate your typewriter."

You tell him you do not need ribbon and furthermore you buy them only once at a time and will not remove you can get them right in town when they come. He proceeds to unravel his typewriter ribbons, and goes on to say that you just simply sign an order for a dozen ribbons and he will send you one at a time as you may need them. This gink takes up your valued time and irritates you to the extreme.

He is to be discursive to people who call in your office, but such agents are getting so plentiful that all so often you are beginning to give them the cold shoulder and to let them know in no uncertain terms that you do not want a thing that the argument is settled. I may be different from most people, but I can tell a salesman in two minutes whether I want what he has to sell or not.

These "bell ringers" must be quite a nuisance to the housewives throughout the country. Just think of the time and trouble and get the children off to school and they are being called out of the house in your kitchen, cleaning up and setting things straight.

And have one of these elucidating "bell ringers" step on to your door and want to see you in your time trying to demonstrate that he has the best hose at the best price for the world. If I were a wife I think I would want to pick my own time to buy my household articles and wearing apparel and that I would visit the store at a time chosen by me. I would then also have the satisfaction of knowing that if the articles were not "up to snuff" that I would know who to call on to have the matter adjusted.

Yes, these peddlers are getting to be a nuisance. I went into an office here in Chester recently and there was a fellow there trying to sell the local citizen stuff for which he had no earthly use. The man told him he had no use for the stuff, yet that gink proceeded to tell him what fine stuff he had—the best in the world—made by all the largest firms in the country and absolutely guaranteed. Then he would start over with the same line of chatter.

And hung around for possibly fifteen minutes, got tired and irritated and went some where else and caused the lady may be to lose about \$5. worth of business that I intended giving him but did not feel disposed to wait on. That wind-jammer, to get through with his elucidation. And the sad part of it is that these "trunk salesmen" are becoming more plentiful every month.

If the people keep encouraging these agents the time will come to arrive when a man who has anything to do will have to hire a secretary to listen to the elucidations of the traveling wind-jammers.

W. W. Pegram.

Quick Trip in Airplane

Captain Elliott Springs of Fort Mill, who is spending some time at the army flying field at Akron, Ohio, last Tuesday morning, decided to visit his home in Chester and leaving Akron in his airplane, he arrived in Fort Mill, a distance of about 300 miles, in three and one-half hours, which was an average of about 137 miles an hour. He left Fort Mill Wednesday morning on the return trip and expected to end dinner in Akron.

FAIR PREMIUM LIST.

The 1925 Chester County Fair Premium list is now in the mails. It will be printed and sent throughout the entire section adjacent to Chester county.

The premium list this year has been revised and modernized in several departments. Many new classes have been removed and new ones added in other departments. In the cattle department, all beef breeds have been canceled. The hog industry is of the most important importance in this section and no animals have been shown at the Chester fair in recent years. This action is in keeping with the policy of the State Fair Association.

In the Jersey Department the same classification has been adopted as used by the State Fair Association. The Jersey classes are placed on a par with Guernseys as the premiums were before the previous year. This action was deemed advisable since the Guernsey and Jersey breeds are the only breeds of importance in South Carolina. Holsteins having been cancelled also.

In the dairy breed classes the premiums are the same as in 1924 except for the cash prizes offered in the champion and group classes where only ribbons are offered.

The hog and sheep department premiums have been raised materially. The hog breeds are limited to Berkshires, Duroc Jersey, Poland China and Hampshire, which is also in keeping with the State Fair Premium list.

In the sheep department Southdown Shropshire and Hampshire breeds are included.

The Community exhibit premiums were very materially increased with \$75.00 as first prize, \$25.00 as fifth prize. In addition a nice silver loving cup will be offered for first prize. The school department has also been increased and more premiums offered.

The ribbons of the year are the equal of ribbons offered at the fair in other years. They may be seen on display in store windows on Saturdays.

Anyone who has not received a premium list may secure one from the Chamber of Commerce.

Raising Big Melons

The largest watermelon seen in Chester this year was that brought in last Saturday by Messrs. James and Willie Conley of the Armenia section of Chester county. The melon was on display at the Hardin-Bree Drug Store and weighed eighty-six pounds. The melon was bought a Ford truck and carried eight quarts of melons which weighed about the same. The melon was a time chosen by me. I would then also have the satisfaction of knowing that if the articles were not "up to snuff" that I would know who to call on to have the matter adjusted.

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Wanted Ads.

For Sale—One of fifth grade school books, Phone 1144.

For Rent—Three or four house farm between Chester and Great Falls. Six-room house, two ten-ton land, orchard and pasture. Long lease on same. Also desirable farm, near Richburg, known as Highmountain. Pine pastures and bottom lands. Also flood plain, Federal road. Apply to John D. Sanders at Court House. 4-6115-18-22.

For Rent—5 room Cottage on Walker Street. T. L. Eberhardt, Tl.

SECOND SHEETS—FOR the better grade of carbon second sheets for carbon copies of letters, call at The News office, if.

Cabbage Plants—200, 50c; 500, 100c; 1000, \$1.50; prepaid, good plants, prompt shipment, Lillydale Farm, Mineral Springs, N. C. 1-4.

FOR RENT—My home and farm near City limits, possession given by September 1st. Mrs. May Love, 137 West End. 25-28-1.

LIKE YOU, Hundreds are now reading this column. If you have anything for sale let The News carry the message to thousands.

NOTICE TO PATRONS CHESTER SCHOOLS

Parents who have children six years of age are urged to have vaccination against smallpox done prior to September 3rd, the day for registering new pupils. This applies to all new pupils entering Chester schools who have not been successfully vaccinated.

This is a legal requirement enforced by the State of South Carolina.

M. E. BROCKMAN, Sup't. City Public Schools, Chester, S. C., Aug. 7, 1925. Tl. Sept. 7.

JUNK WANTED!

Highest price paid for Scrap Iron, All kinds of Metal, Rags, Bags and Barrels, Auto Tires, Tires, Old Automobiles, Cotton Waste and Old Radiators and Batteries.

Bring what you have to our place, located near the Fair Grounds. We buy all kinds of Hides.

SAMET WASTE & METAL COMPANY, CHESTER, S. C.

Miss Ellen Chandler Long

Graduate of Peabody Conservatory of Music and

Pupil of George F. Hoyle.

wishes to announce that her Studio at the College Street Building will be open for Pianoforte Instruction

September Seventh

Several years successful experience in college and Private teaching.

SCHOOLS START FINE

Everything Getting in Readiness for School Monday Morning—Especially Large Number to be in High School.

The 1925-26 session began Wednesday morning with the registration of new pupils. The enrollment in the high school is very heavy more than doubled the amount expected on the first day of enrollment. At the present time there will be more than 400 in the high school next session.

The first grades are filling up fast. On account of the heavy enrollment there will be no formal chapel exercises until matters are adjusted at which time we hope to have public exercises with friends and patrons present. All patrons of the school are urged to send their children in on time at the beginning of the school. The compulsory attendance law will be enforced this year and by conforming to the regulations and getting all the children in school at the beginning will save much trouble to the high school where we are anxious to have all the boys and girls eligible for school work.

The following is a list of all the teachers and the school in which they will work:

High School—D. J. Rambo, Principal; R. N. Allen, W. W. Wilson, I. M. Goree, R. H. Guthrie, Miss Maud Bigham, Mrs. J. H. M. McCoy, Miss Beatrice Arnold, Miss Nancy Carroll, Miss Mayme Colvin, Miss Sara Clowney, Paul Hardin, Jr., Miss Mary Henry, Miss Lucy W. Field, Miss Elsie Davis, Miss Helen Moffat, O. L. Carter.

Dora Jones School—Miss L. G. Collier, Principal and 6th grade; Miss Esther Reed, 5th A; Miss Margaret Lee, 5th A; Miss Elizabeth Workman, 4th A; Miss Annie McKinnell, 4th A; Miss Edith Smith, 1 B and 2 A; Mrs. Ruth D. Woods, 1 A.

College Street School—Miss Katherine Dugan, Principal and 6th grade; Miss Jennie Lane, 5th A; Miss Evelyn Carter, 4th A; Miss Violet Anderson, 4th A; Miss Inez Cloud, 2 B and 3 B; Miss Corrine Miller, 2 A; Miss Margaret Moore, 1 A; Miss Margaret Phillips, Special Ungraded.

Foot Street School—Miss Mary Lindsay, Principal and 3rd grade; Miss Louise Johnston, 5th A; Miss Esther Cloud, 5th A; Miss Corrine Miller, 4 A; Miss Marie Seargent, 2 A; Miss Lizzie D. Melton, 1 A.

Lalzar Mill School—Miss Mary Strong, Principal and Special Ungraded Class; Mrs. H. S. Heyman, 1 A; Miss Ruth Vaughn, 1 A; Miss Ruth Vaughn, 1 A; Miss Annie Patton, 1 B and 2 B; Miss Bernice Pressly, 3 A; Miss Susie W. Douglas, 3 B.

Eureka School—Mrs. B. C. Carter, 1st and 2nd grades; Miss Pearl Vaughn, 3rd and 4th grades; Mrs. E. Brockman, Sup't. Miss Agnes Vaughn, Primary Supervisor; Miss Thelma Peterson, Supervisor of Music; Miss Ellen Long, Piano; Mrs. Mollie Coltrane, Primary Substitute; Mrs. Ethel McFadden, Intermediate Substitute.

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Boy's Bridge Open.

Announcement has been made by the supervisor of York county that the bridge over Catawba river, between York and Chesterburg counties, known as Boy's bridge, is now open to the public.

When the Waters Power Company began raising its dam at Indian Hook, it was found that this bridge would have to be raised several feet on account of back water and the height has been increased a little more than ten feet at a cost of about one hundred thousand dollars.

The distance from York to Charlotte via the above mentioned route is thirty-nine miles, which is about ten miles shorter than any other route between the two points.

Keeping Up With The Joneses.

Everyone has marvelled at the tremendous absorption of automobiles by the buying public.

Fred Kelly, who writes about human nature in business for National Business Magazine, talks with Leonard Ayres, a Cleveland statistician, about it.

"The automobile," said Leonard Ayres, "is a great new thing that has come into the public. If you buy a piano your neighbor's piano doesn't come over and stand alongside of it to show up yours as inferior. But the moment you buy a car you are in competition with your neighbors. You are obliged to look at his car across the street and observe that it is better than yours. Immediately you secretly hope to have a better car if just soon as you can afford it—just as soon as you can afford it."

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The Cotton Situation Abroad.

After an extensive tour through the principal cotton consuming countries in Europe and Asia, Robert H. Hackett, president of the International Cotton Corporation, will know cotton firm of Atlanta, in the line of this cotton situation in the following letter to the Southern Textile Bulletin:

"I returned about two weeks ago on the 'S. S. Celtic,' after an extensive trip through Europe and Asia, and have seen the cotton situation in the most excellent condition; not only as far as cotton mill machinery is concerned, but also power works and vast other improvements around the mills. They have paid for their labor and material with the cotton, and have not had any trouble in their mortgages and old bonds in inflated money.

"The mills are now entirely on a gold basis and are worth more than during the war or before the war, as they are practically free of debt, and are in a position to take up any new cotton.

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DETECTIVES.

"Can one violate natural, civil, criminal, social or divine laws and escape all the consequences of his wrongdoing?"

"In the past, men have thought they could, and today, just as in the past, men and women think and act as if wrongdoing, whether it be the commission of heinous crimes or lesser offenses, that when they are passed, they are gone forever. Law-breaking, even when it has developed a detective force or system which ferrets out and punishes wrongdoers, is still making it next to impossible to escape detection, when the alert sleuths begin in earnest to follow the criminal's tracks.

"All over our country the efficient work of detective officers is being published daily in the newspapers.

"When the Israelites in their journey to Canaan had reached the border of the Promised Land, the tribes of Reuben and Gad, owners of large flocks and herds, seeing the fine range and good grazing, asked and obtained permission from Moses to take their inheritance this side of the Jordan River; upon the agreement of their part to leave their families and cattle till they—the men of the two tribes—had gone over to Canaan and helped their brethren fight the battles necessary to rid Canaan of its inhabitants.

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ASHEVILLE WATER SHORT.

Hotels in Asheville Sending Laundry to Spartanburg.

Spartanburg—A portion of the Asheville laundry, work, which cannot be done in that city now, on account of the drought there, is being done in this city, according to T. K. Hudgins, manager of the Spartan Laundry on Magnolia street.

Hudgins stated this morning that he has contracts with three small hotels of that city, to do the laundry work, and that the Asheville division of the Southern railroad.

He has not been asked by Asheville laundries to do any of their work, although it is understood that the business of that kind in Asheville have temporarily suspended operations.

Mr. Hudgins also stated today that the added amount of employment will not materially effect his plant, because the power was so weak it would not melt the metal for the linotype machines.

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NOTICE TO PATRONS OF SCHOOL.

Chester Public Schools Will Open Monday Morning, September 7th at 8:30 O'clock.

Registration of all new pupils including those entering the first grades and new-comers to Chester will take place Wednesday and Thursday, September 2nd and 3rd, at the Superintendent's office and the High School Building on Columbia street. The hours for registration and enrollment will be from 9:30 to 1 o'clock and from 5 to 6 o'clock each day.

Examinations: Friday, September 4th, as follows: High School, 9:00 o'clock, at new building.

2nd, 3rd, and 5th grades at College Street School from 9 to 11 o'clock.

6th grades report at Post Street, Dora Jones and College Street respectively at 9 o'clock Friday.

7th grades report at High School Friday 11 o'clock.

All 1st Grade and new Baldwin Mills pupils will report at Baldwin Mills school on Wednesday and Thursday, September 2nd and 3rd.

All Eureka Mill First Grade and new pupils will report at Eureka Mill school on Wednesday and Thursday, September 2nd and 3rd.

The above schedule applies to all students with conditions to be removed by examination as indicated on report cards in possession of pupils now. Every pupil with conditions to remove should be present at the hours mentioned to avoid confusion later.

All pupils entering the Chester Public Schools are required by law to be properly vaccinated against smallpox before entering school again.

All patients who have been vaccinated within the last five years have expired are required by law to be vaccinated before entering school again.

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GAFNEY NEWSPAPERS HAVE TROUBLE PRINTING.

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SOLUTION TO TUESDAY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

CHEER UP! OPERA HOUSE. BIRD. ROBERT. B. ART. TOOLS. BAR. TARS. NIP. WANT. MEN. SH. K. BO. L. S. ABER. MELON. WINS. EVE. COOT. ADD. HAVE. NO. A. PAT. NO. B. BOIL. ROOM. U. STEED. BEAST.

BILIOUSNESS. Retired Minister Tells How He Keeps in Good Form With the Assistance of Black-Draught.

West Graham, Va.—The Rev. Lewis Evans, a well-known retired minister, now past 80, living here, has high opinion of Black-Draught, which he says he has taken when needed for 25 years.

"For years I had been suffering from biliousness," he says. "After I found Black-Draught, I was able to take it as soon as I felt a spell coming on and it relieved the cause at once. I can recommend it to anybody suffering from liver trouble. A dose or two now and then keeps me in good form."

Made from selected medicinal herbs, all whose various ailments, dangerous mineral drugs, Black-Draught is a natural and powerful for a tried, lay liver. NC166

THEODORE BLACK-DRAUGHT LIVER MEDICINE

School Starts In One Week.

Children will begin working on their lessons in one week from today, so for the next Nine Months it is very necessary that the school children have

GOOD LIGHT to protect their eyes while studying.

"Good Light Protects The Eyes"

Phone Us Your Light Wants This Week.

Southern Public Utilities Comp'y

Buying Sunday Gasoline

TESTED TO WITHSTAND INTENSE HEAT.

"US" Jar Rubbers Plain or Double Lip

Wholesale Distributors

Chester, S. C.

Undergras is willing and ready to serve you at any time and under any circumstances but we are requesting that you make your purchases of Sunday Gasoline on Saturday if possible.

We wish to announce to the public our filling stations are open to serve you from 6 o'clock Saturday A. M. until 12 o'clock Saturday night. These hours will give every one ample time to have their gas tank filled for Sunday use.

Morally the purchaser is as guilty as the seller but from a physical point of view the filling station employees are entitled to and deserve Sunday as a day of recreation and rest after long Saturday hours.

We simply want to give our good patrons all the attention possible and are anxious to do so but at the same time we are asking your kind co-operation in making it as easy as possible for all concerned.

Won't you please remember this and be sure to fill your tank piping full some time during the day. Saturday don't forget your car must have a good supply of oil in the crank case.

Consumers Filling Station

Liberty Filling Station

Pryor Service Station

Victory Service Station

NOTICE!

The Baldwin Tool Works, who are the largest users of second growth ash timber for the manufacture of shovel and farming tool handles and who are at the present time building a Plant in Chester, S. C., expect to be operating on or about October 15th. Before selling or contracting your timber, it will pay you to write or consult our timber department.

Temporary office over Clark Furniture Company.

BALDWIN TOOL WORKS

P. O. BOX 116 CHESTER, S. C.